# **EXHIBIT**

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#### IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

ANITA PARKER, on behalf of herself and all others similarly situated

Plaintiff,

v.

J. CREW GROUP, INC., J. CREW L.L.C. and DOES 1 through 100, inclusive

Defendants.

Case No.: 1:16-cv-10775

DECLARATION OF MARIA F. DI LORENZO IN SUPPORT OF J. CREW GROUP, INC.'S NOTICE OF REMOVAL OF ACTION

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, MARIA F. DI LORENZO declares:

- I am Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary at J. Crew Group, Inc.
- 2. I submit this declaration in support of J. Crew Group, Inc.'s Notice of Removal of Action.
- 3. J. Crew L.L.C. is named as a defendant in the Complaint. J. Crew L.L.C. is not, however, affiliated with J. Crew Group, Inc., or any of its parents or subsidiaries.
- 4. Under my supervision, a paralegal in the legal department of J. Crew Group, Inc. conducted Internet searches for Defendant J. Crew L.L.C., including on the website for the Office of the Illinois Secretary of State and on Google in general. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and accurate copy of the results of those searches (the "Results").
- 5. The address and agent name in the Results match the address and agent name for J. Crew L.L.C. as listed in the summons. Furthermore, the Results describe J. Crew L.L.C as a

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company "Categorized under Exterior Building Cleaners" with "annual revenue of [\$120,000] and . . . a staff of approximately 7." *Id.* at 2.

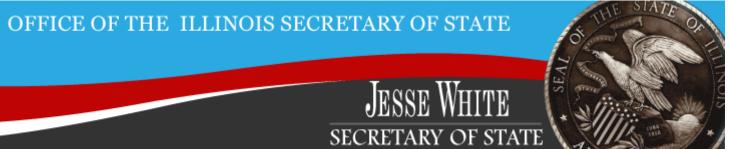
6. I am not aware of any corporate relationship between J. Crew Group, Inc. and J. Crew L.L.C.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

EXECUTED: November  $\frac{\mathcal{U}}{\mathcal{U}}$ , 2016 Chicago, Illinois

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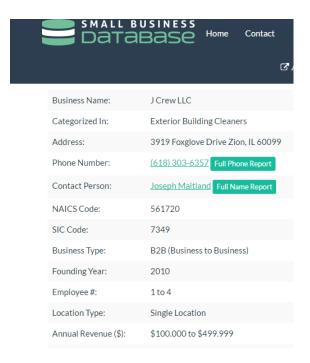


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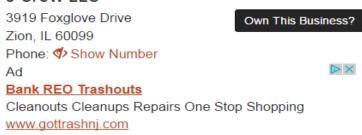
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Status	NGS	On	11/01/2016
Entity Type	LLC	Type of LLC	Domestic
File Date	11/20/2010	Jurisdiction	IL
Agent Name	JOSEPH MAITLAND	Agent Change Date	11/20/2010
Agent Street Address	3919 FOXGLOVE DR	Principal Office	3919 FOXGLOVE DR ZION, IL 600990000
Agent City	ZION	Management Type	MGR <u>View</u>
Agent Zip	60099	Duration	PERPETUAL
Annual Report Filing Date	00/00/0000	For Year	2016
Series Name	NOT AUTHORIZED TO ESTABLISH SERIES		

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#### J Crew LLC



J Crew LLC is a privately held company in Zion, IL and is a Single Location business. Categorized under Exterior Building Cleaners. Our records show it was established in 2010 and incorporated in Illinois. Current estimates show this company has an annual revenue of 120000 and employs a staff of approximately 7.